HROUGH TEXAS.

Michigan Man Thinks of the Lose Star State.

Mellborn, Throckmorton, Rogan, the Homestead Law, Etc.

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short time. I have visited a town at one certain time, and again in four months, and again in four months, and at each period the progress has been so marked as to elicit surprise and admiration. And this may be said of all, without exception. The Marchants' Cotton exchange, at Dallas recently completed, would be an ornament to any city in the United States. The Grand Windsor, in the same city, in progress of construction and nearly completed, is of four stories and covers an intre block, which a built entirely of Texas rock, is a hotel which for architectural beauty and modern facilities will be surpassed by none in the country."

"I am pleased that you have so favorable an impression of the state, for I had a conviction that she would go to the front. When do you return?"

"Probably in January and perhaps not till early spring, for I go immediately to Dakota, direct antipodes so far as climate and productions are concerned—excepting in small grains, regarding the production of which Texas

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MIDLAND.

New Arrivals Every Day - Stores Springing Up as if by Magic.

A Disgruntled Minnesotian-The Shipment of Cattle Begun,

orrespondence of the Gazette.

MIDLAND TEX , Nov. 21 -For ten days past the number of arrivals at Midland has very rapidly and largely increased. Ranch agents, sheepmen, cattle buyers, merchants, land seekers estudier."

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Merchants are coming from all directions. The towns that have been jering at us and making noses at us, and laughing so loftily at our pretentions, are now hurrying stocks of goods to Midland. Dalus, Fort Worth, Colorado Ci y and even Big Springs the city of the "Nup and Tuck" and Lord Aylestord, all are now giving very respectful attention to the claims of Midland.

During the week gentlemen owning or representing large interests in this vicinity, h ye been here from Chicago, S. Louis, St. Paul, Cincinnati, tealweston, Wichitas Fails and many other places. The Minnesota man was the only one who was not delighted with the country. He was a sort of wildeyed son of destiny who went rushing around finding fault with everything, and sweating in our soft winter weather like one in a Turkish bath. He barely escaped from the Indian massacre at New Ulm, Minn, many years ago and the poor fellow has been listening for the war-wincop ever since. During the week gentlemen owning

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Work on the public square and the grounds of the excursion headquarters is progressing as fast as the scarcity of mee and teams will permit. A very large assortment of seeds and grain has been received, and a large lot of trees of approved varie les will reach us in a few days.

The shipment of cattle from Midland has begun, and considering the age of the ranches, promises to be quite large. Mr. Combs of Sc. Louis shipped two cars ast night. Dann, Sievens & Co. are preparing for the shipment of six hundred cattle next Monday. They complain, with justice, that while our loading pens will do very well, we have no yard to hold so many cattle, and that loading is rendered slow, are preparing for the shipment of six hundred cattle next Monday. They complain, with justice, that while our loading pens will do very well, we have no yard to hold so many cattle, and that loading is rendered slow, and that loading is rendered slow. The official vote of West Virginia.

The Official Vote of West Virginia. WHERLING, W. VA., Nov 24.—
The official returns from all the counties of West Virginia for p eaident, now complete, show the vice as follows:

BETTER TIMES!

Nearly all the elements that produced the hard times of the past six months have spent their force. The panic and the closely contested Presidential Election, which created much apprehension, are all p st, and our country is in the condition of a robust constitution, who has been suck, and now the lever is broken, recovery is sure; it may come quick, it may come a little slow, but it is sure. Our recuperative powers have always been the wonder of the world. If you have the money and want to buy real estate or personal property, now is the time to do it, prices will be higher not lower. For the present we shall make no change in our very low prices, because we don't want to carry over Winter Goods. If you want Mens' and Boys' t lothing, Ladies', Misses' and Children's Boots and Shoes, Mens' and Boys' Hats and Caps, Gents' Furnishing Goods or Dry Goods, come to thase's, the popular cheap store and get them.

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